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Via ECFS Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

As a very happy, long time Sonic.net customer who uses their DSL service I'm troubled to hear that the FCC may cause that service to end. There is no service that is available to me that provides the access that I get from Sonic.net.

I'm retired and need my internet provider so I can access my Medicare and Social Security accounts. There is no other provider available, for the price I pay, that will provide that service.

I also, use my Sonic.net account to access the internet so I can stay informed of current events and news also information about local issues that are available on my city government website.

Sonic.net provides a service that is not available from any other provider at anything close to what I pay and provides a critical service that I rely on to stay healthy and informed.

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